



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Stuart F. Gordon et al

A METHOD OF PROCESSING A  
PHOTOGRAPHIC ELEMENT  
CONTAINING ELECTRON TRANSFER  
AGENT RELEASING COUPLERS

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Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

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RESPONSE

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement from the Examiner on  
December 19, 2002.

REMARKS

Applicants elect the species designated by the Examiner as (1), the different  
species of electron transfer agent releasing compounds. As requested by the Examiner,  
Applicants further elect compound E-2 shown on page 16 of the specification.

Applicants respectfully request that claims 1-23 be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,

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